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OFFICE MEMORANDUM.

The following resolution of the Government of India, regarding the Universal and International Exhibition to be held at Brussels, in the year 1910, is republished for general information :—

By Order,
C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER,
Offg. Secy to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

No. 22—42—1.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

COMMERCIAL EXHIBITION.

RESOLUTION.

Calcutta, the 6th January 1908.

The following Notification of the Universal and International Exhibition to be held at Brussels in the year 1910 is published for general information. The Government of India have decided not to participate in the Exhibition.

KINGDOM OF BELGIUM.

Brussels Universal and International Exhibition organised for 1910 *under the High Patronage of His Majesty the King of the Belgians and the Honorary Presidency of His Royal Highness Prince Albert of Belgium.*

APPEAL TO EXHIBITORS.

Brussels, October 30th 1907.

A Universal and International Exhibition will open at Brussels in the month of April 1910, and will last for at least six months.

The four Universal and International Exhibitions previously held in Belgium, namely at Antwerp in 1885 and in 1894, at Brussels in 1897, and at Liege in 1905, proved eminently successful, and there is every reason to hope that their success will be equalled and even surpassed by the World's Fair now under organisation in the *Capital* of Belgium. The intended Exhibition will include, as to its chief divisions, the following Groups :—

I—Fine Arts.
II—Education.
III—Instruments and general methods connected with Letters, Science and Arts.
IV—Plant and general methods connected with Machinery.
V—Electricity.
VI—Civil Engineering.—Means of Transport.
VII—Agriculture.
VIII—Horticulture and Arboriculture.
IX—Forests.—Shooting.—Hunting.—Fishing.—Fruit gathering.
X—Articles of food.
XI—Mines.—Metallurgy.
XII—Decoration and furnishing of Public Buildings and private Houses.
XIII—Yarns, Woven Fabrics, Wearing Apparel.
XIV—Chemical Industry.
XV—Miscellaneous Industries.
XVI—Social Economy.
XVII—Public Health.—Charitable Institutions.
XVIII—Practical Education.—Economic Institutions.—Female Handicraft.
XIX—Trade.—Colonisation.
XX—Land and Sea Forces.
XXI—Sports.
XXII—Congresses and Conferences.

Brussels is extending day by day and the public Authorities do everything in their power to justify the name which it already has of being one of the finest *Capitals* of Europe.

Only recently its territory has been considerably added to by the incorporation of a large amount of land running alongside the *Bois de la Cambre*, the favorite resort of the Brussels people.